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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
THE PROGRAM MANAGER, SINGLE STOCK FUND
AND
THE PROJECT MANAGER, GLOBAL COMBAT SUPPORT SYSTEM - ARMY

SUBJECT: Support for Single Stock Fund (SSF) Program
Implementation

1. Purpose. To delineate roles and responsibilities for SSF program implementation between the Program Manager, SSF (PM, SSF), Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics, Department of the Army, and the Project Manager, Global Combat Support System-Army (PM, GCSS-Army), U.S. Army Combined Arms Support Command (CASCOM).
2. References:
 - a. Message, HQDA, DACS-ZB, 010243Z Dec 97, subject: SSF Campaign Plan (Encl 1).
 - b. SSF Program Management Office Charter, dated December 1997 (Encl 2).
3. SCOPE. This memorandum of understanding (MOU) encompasses actions to plan for, assess, and monitor SSF program implementation, ensuring integration of SSF across the total Army.
4. Understandings, agreements, support, and resource needs:
 - a. The PM, GCSS-Army will:
 - (1) Be responsible for systems development associated with the tactical domain and the ensuing automated interfaces with the national domain to create a seamless logistics and finance system, based on requirements approved by CASCOM.

(2) Provide functional and technical assistance for assigned logistics standard Army management information systems (STAMIS) to the PM, SSF during the planning and implementation phases of SSF. All parties recognize that year 2,000 (Y2K) remediation has been directed as a top priority by both the Secretary of the Army and Chief of Staff of the Army. To this end, PM, GCSS-Army support to STAMIS reengineering may be limited while Y2K activities are ongoing. In the event of a resource conflict, the PM, GCSS-Army will work with the PM, SSF to identify alternative sources of support to accomplish the SSF mission.

(3) Identify internal POCs responsible for coordinating all SSF issues for the following STAMIS and legacy systems:

(a) Standard Army Retail Supply System-Objective (SARSS-O) (includes SARSS Gateway)

(b) GCSS-Army

(c) Standard Army Maintenance System (SAMS)

(d) Unit Level Logistics Systems (ULLS) (all versions)

(4) Include the PM, SSF in the test and evaluation process for SSF-related systems.

(5) Include the PM, SSF in all relevant JAD forums during the user and policy development phase for GCSS-A.

(6) Report/brief the status of the following information, as a minimum, at scheduled SSF Information Technology In-Process Reviews:

(a) SSF program-related system fielding schedules.

(b) Change package development programs related to the SSF program.

(c) Current priorities for ongoing efforts involving SSF.

(d) Status of the PM, SSF funding execution.

(7) As required, provide executive-level technical experience and advice/consulting to the PM, SSF in the areas of software development, testing, information technology and materiel fielding.

b. The PM, SSF will:

(1) Provide the PM, GCSS-Army implementation schedules and plans, to include periodic program updates.

(2) Coordinate SSF issues and plans related to automated systems with the PM, GCSS-Army.

(3) Coordinate with CASCOM on all requirements which are to be implemented in any PM, GCSS-Army controlled system.

(4) Develop reengineered SSF processes and submit said requirements to CASCOM. The PM, SSF recognizes that CASCOM approves all requirements to be implemented by GCSS-Army.

c. Funding: The PM, SSF and the PM, GCSS-Army will jointly develop a budget/funding agreement which, as a minimum, will include the following elements:

(1) SSF Engineering Change Proposals (ECPs) for the PM, GCSS-Army systems.

(2) Budget and POM requirements.

(3) Support required for STAMIS and legacy systems.

d. Contract Support Arrangements. Where appropriate, the PM, SSF will collaborate with the PM, GCSS-Army to facilitate contract support for future Army logistics and financial systems. This will reduce government overhead, ensure integration, and minimize program turbulence.

5. EFFECTIVE DATES. This MOU will become effective upon signature by both principals and will remain in effect until rescinded.

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